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### Wall Street Reform

The recent financial crisis underscores how interconnected our economy is. The irresponsible decisions made by Wall Street had a ripple effect across our economy and the consequences have been severe. The savings, home values, jobs, and businesses of millions of Americans have been adversely affected. That is why the Senate is taking action on Wall Street reform legislation to prevent another crisis that threatens the entire economy.

In 2009, I voted against bailing out Wall Street because I didn't think taxpayers should be on the hook for

### Supreme Court Nomination

On May 10, President Obama nominated Solicitor General Elena Kagan to replace retiring Justice John Paul Stevens on the Supreme Court. I had the pleasure of meeting Solicitor General Kagan in 2005 when she served as Dean of Harvard Law School and I was the Director of the Institute of Politics at Harvard's John F. Kennedy School of Government.

Kagan is widely regarded as one of our nation's top legal minds. She has earned the respect and praise of Democrats and Republicans alike for her temperament and integrity, and

### Highlights

Franklin Pierce Law Center Commencement: On May 15, I had the pleasure of delivering the commencement address at Franklin Pierce Law Center. My remarks focused on issues of national security, specifically the legal and institutional challenges our nation faces in addressing terrorism. The graduation ceremony was a great success and I was delighted to join in celebrating the accomplishments of the class of 2010! [Read More](#)

Indian Ambassador visits New Hampshire: I was pleased to invite the Indian Ambassador to the United

the bad decisions at big banks. As we work to reform Wall Street, protecting taxpayers and consumers should be our top priority. At the same time, I am working to help ensure that community banks and credit unions, which did not cause this problem, are not unduly burdened by new regulations.

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she is a known consensus builder. Solicitor General Kagan has served the country well throughout her career as an educator and public servant, and I commend President Obama on this strong Supreme Court nomination. Just as Elena Kagan was swiftly confirmed with bipartisan support to serve as Solicitor General, I hope the confirmation process in the Senate will be fair and expeditious.

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States, Meera Shankar, to New Hampshire on April 23 to meet with local business leaders and tour ARC Energy in Nashua, GT Solar in Merrimack, and the Amoskeag Business Incubator (ABI) in Manchester. Exporting New Hampshire products and services to international markets will help the state's economy grow during these difficult times. Most importantly, increasing sales will help companies create jobs here in New Hampshire.

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